AN ORDER OF THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION
UNDER THE CLEAN ENVIRONMENT ACT

Re: The Clean Environment Commission and Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited, applicant,

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of The Clean Environment Act, Falconbridge Nickel Mines Limited has submitted an application to the Clean Environment Commission to prescribe limits in connection with the operation of a domestic sewage treatment system consisting of four septic tanks serving a camp bunkhouse, a service building, a concentrator building and a community center (the mine complex) at the Manibridge mine site in Manitoba, with accumulated effluent discharge to the 'tailings basin' as shown on drawing no. 3209-13 dated July, 1970 as prepared by Reid, Crowther & Partners Limited,

AND WHEREAS no representation was made to the Clean Environment Commission by any person who is or is likely to be affected by an Order of the Commission prescribing limits in connection with the said operation,

AND WHEREAS the Clean Environment Commission considered the application on the 5th day of November, 1973,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

1. The applicant shall ensure that all domestic waste arising from the camp bunkhouse, the service building, the concentrator building and the community center is subject to primary treatment in septic tanks,

2. The applicant shall ensure that the combined effluent from the various septic tanks serving the facilities enumerated in clause 1 is subject to chlorination sufficient to provide a chlorine residual of 0.5 milligrams per litre after fifteen minutes contact,

3. The applicant shall ensure that the chlorinated effluent is discharged only into the said tailings basin,

4. The applicant shall ensure that sludge from the septic tanks is placed only in the said tailings basin,

5. The applicant shall ensure that the results of residual chlorine testing are recorded in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Management Division of the Department of Mines, Resources and Environmental Management.

Order No. 332
Dated at the City of Winnipeg
this 13th day of December 1973

Chairman,
Clean Environment Commission